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W. J. COOP WOOD, Jr., Assignee.
Collierville, Tenn.

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CTOCKHOLDERS are hereby notified that and clection for directors of this bank, to serve the ensuing year will be held at the bank Monay, January 11, 1886, from 10 of clock a.m. until 2 p.m. S. P. READ, Cashier.

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UNION AND PEANTERS BANK OF MEMPHIS, MEMPHIS, TENN, December 7, 1885.

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LOUISVILLE, KY.

THE WATERWAYS.

ast Day of the Missouri River Im provement Convention at Kansas City.

R solutions Adopted Which Give Assurance of Usion and Co-Operation in

Congress Between All the Sections In terested in Carrying Through Appropriations.

SPECIAL TO THE APPRAL. Kansas City, Mo., December 30.—The proceedings of the Waterways Convention to-day were harmonious. The report of the Committee on resolutions was read and proceedings of the Waterways Convention to-day were harmonious. The report of the Committee on resolutions was read and adopted. The following chauses, which were enthusiastically adopted, give assurance of hearty union and co-operation in Congress between all sections interested:

Resident That agree serve all Sections interested: Resolved, That we urge upon all Sensters and

from the message of the States, and that we as ople inhabiting the endiasour; and Mississippi non the President to call as by special message to ions in the matter of indiversity that the omistic way of making a more view of making a more constant. the keynote of the future, and those best advised now predict with confidence that the union of the West, Northwest and Southwest will earry through proper ap-propriations over the combined influence of all opposition.
"Our motto," said E K. Converse New Orleans, "is not to begour rights, but

to demand thers."
The convention appointed two delegates from six States and Territories to act in concert with the committees from the New Orleans and 't Poul conventions. Among them is W E Miller of this city, who pr sented the claims of the Missiuri rive to Congress several years og in a speed which was ordered printed by the con mittee. Mr. Mi ler is see e ary of the Kan-sas City B and of trade, and is well known n Memphis. George S. Wright, secretary of the West ern Wsterways Convention, is present a member from St. Louis

The convention in-tay adjourned sine few days with friends here.

Mr. McCracken of Somerville was i Associate Press Report. own en business. Kansas Cirv, Md , D c mber 10 .- The Mr. Nolan preaches at the Baptist Church on the second Sunday instead of proceedings of the River Improvement ven ion were almost devoid of interes he third.

Mr. Treadwell, the new minister of the this morning. The convention will ad ourn to-night, and the next meeting will Methodist Episcopal Church, preaches probably be held in Omaha next Septem-Mr. Cochran announced he would have service at the Presbyterian Church the third Sunday at night; away for the next na follows, and the ds ussion of the report is still in progress I is probable that Ah! beautiful day, why fade away. Ever would I keep thee, if then wouldst stav. MEDUSA. o amendments will be made.

WHEREAS, In yiew of the fact appropria are being asked from Congress for the improvement of the great Western waterways, and the convention having mean estiled in the interest of the great Missouri River Valley, therefore Resolved, Thirt is the enrest wish of the people of the Aissouri Valley that Congress do a care appropriate for the improvement of mds of this conve

Take Final Action in the Matter to take final action is garding the last rest ing place of the dead actor. In spile o Capt. Conner's etatement to a St. Loui ask a penny from any one cise to help ut, end he is naturally anxious that the odge shall have its wish. The famil

to bury the sever anywhere but here. SPORTING NEWS.

however, in this case must be deferred to, and they will not listen to a proposition

The Louisville Spring Meeting Leuisvinia, Ky., Darember 20.—The altered. There are five stakes for tw year olds-the Louisville Ladies', Alexander, Tennessee, Runnymede and Elmen-dorf. For three year olds, the Moet & Chardon Champagos siske. For ell ages there are five stakes—Dixiann handicap, Louisville cop. Merchauts', Fleetwood stailion stake, for sires, also closes then The meeting will commence May 14th and continue ten days. There will be fifty races and \$25,000 of added coney. The Kentucky Derby next year has 107 entries, and already turfmen are beginnet certain that Louisville, Nashville upon their courses. It is certain that the stable of J. B. Haggin, E. J. Baldwin and this apring. The recent sale of Milton Young's stick has only added to the general interest. The stable of S. S. Brown,

ises to be the best ever held by the Jockey and use at once Dr. Bull's Cough Syrap OBITUARY.

with its recent high-priced additions, is

Prof. Edwin D. Sanbarn Your, December 30 .- Prof. Edwin Sanborn died yesterdsy morning at the besmore Hote, in his seventy-eighth

P. Celburn, a well-known insurance agent of this city, interfered in the woman's behalf. The wife with her four little children escaped from the infuriated husband, who, incensed at the interference, crept up behind Colburn and fired three shots at him, one of the bails lodging in the spine and uffecting what is thought to be a fatal wound. After shooting Colburn Gerettifled to his farm, about a quarter of a mile distant, pursued by the town marchal and a passe. He locked himself up in his house, and, the posse being unarmed, defied them to agrees him. While his pursuers were deliberating Geretti placed the muzzle of his pistol in his mouth and blew out his brains.

LAGRANGE, TENN.

and General Notes.

[CORRESPONDENCE OF THE APPRAL.]

Lagrange, 12nn, December 29.—The beautiful days of Christmas have drawn

Christmas Day, as I watched the sun sink

and music were very good. Cotton is very low here now.

Tae Magic Lantern played here last Thursday night. Mr. Thomas Rives, sr., is visiting rela-

A DISASTROUS FIRE

taging in the Business Portion of Leb-

anon, Tenn,

Caough the town is thirty miles from

a fuller account of the fire this evening.

PINE BLUFF, ARK.

Frank Cox, a Planter, Severely Injured

While Running His Gin.

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Especially to Women.

. R. V Pierce's "Favorite Prescription

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o scomen, and to men, too for when women

shooting Affray in a Crowded Street

NEW YORK, December 30 .- In the sub-

urbs of Guttenberg, N. J., last night, Fred-erick Smith and August Braden, popular

ong standing grudge, met in a crowded

floor with two wounds in one of his arms and one in his side. Braden was carrying

a bullet in one of his arms. Braden was creeted and Smith was taken home and

An Offensive Breath

telicate matter to speak of, but it has part

ed not only friends but lovers. Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy curse the worst cases, as

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subject to overflow should be constructed with Louisville Cement. It is the standard.

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appointed to present the petition.

CLEVELAND, O., December 30.-About 20

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held on Monday.

onng men, between whom there was

is gin stand lost three fingers and

his arm severely lacerated.

Christmas Festivities Personal

Strong Chances of Memphis Yet Be coming the Headquarters of the Gould System.

Gen. Nettleton and the Union Depot-C. and O. Crossing the Ohio-Railroad Building in 1885.

Christmas Day, as I watched the sun sink lower and lower, to rest, without a murmuring breezs to mar the serenity of the occasion, one beam, lingering alone longer, somehow reminded me of Headley's beautiful description of the "Miserere" at the Sistine Chapel—of that last low, desolate wail, yet so sweet and tender. Fainter and fainter it grew; like the dying tones of a lute, it sank away as if the isst sorrow was ended. I stood at my window till I fell to thinking, and my thoughts floated out on the glorious wings of the night. All the beavens waxed brighter, and the starlight lay sleeping at my feet. Christmas was under the impression that the building of the read would be decided to extend the line to this city. The answer given them if they should decide to extend the line to this city. The answer given them if they should decide to extend the line to this city. The answer given them if they should decide to extend the line to this city. The answer given them if they should decide to extend the line to this city. The answer given them if they should decide to extend the line to this city. The answer given them if they should decide to extend the line to this city. The answer given them if they should decide to extend the line to this city. The answer given them if they should decide to extend the line to this city. The answer given them if they should decide to extend the line to this city. The answer given them if they should decide to extend the line to this city. The answer given them if they should decide to extend the line to this city. The answer given them if they should decide to extend the line to this city. The answer given them if they should decide to extend the line to this city. The answer given them if they should decide to extend the line to this city. The answer given them if they should decide to extend the line to this city. The answer given them if they should decide to extend the line to this city. The answer given them if they should decide to extend the line to this city. The answer g sicepirg at my feet. Christmas was un-ostentationaly observed here. The Bishop under the impression that the building of the road would be decided upon and that ostentationsly observed here. The Bishop of Myrs, or Santa Claus, made his annual rounds, distributing gifts and making merry the hearts of children. The concers it would be put through at care. The plan is to build into Memphis from Baid Kuob, and from Baid Knob in the other direc-

st the La Belle Chapet was in every te-spect a success. The drama, recitations tion to Kansas City. It is by no means improbable that this will become the beadquarters of the Gould system, which contains about 9000 miles. Ges. Nettleton and the Depot. Every since the subject of a union depot

Every since the subject of a union depot was first broached, those who take an interest in it have been in the habit of looking to Gen. George H. Nettleton of the Kansas City, Springfield and Memphis road as the man who would put the plan into operation. His appointment as chairmen of a committee at a meeting held at the New Cotton Exchange, when that building was dedicated, confirmed the belief that he would take the initiative in the movement, and whenever he visits the city take about 10 million was considered.

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Mrs. Lavinia Milliken has returned Mis. Lavinia millisen has returned home from a short visit to your city.
Miss Laura Jones, who has been in Withe, spent the holidays at home.
Mr. and Mrs. McKinney, from Hickory Valley, spent Christmas at Mrs. Capt. Han-Miss McClendon, one of last year's teachers at the F. M. College, spent a few days with Mrs. M. B. Jones.

Dr. Heard and his con Julian, are in town from Florence, Al., for a few days. and whenever he visits the city talk about a union depot at once revives. He came in yesterday, and it is understood that he June Sneed, jr., was out a few days from Williston to see his mother, Mrs. V. will take some positive step in the next Mrs. M. E. ard Miss Booth Tucker pent a few days in Memphis with rela

C. & O. Crossing the Chio. Mr. M. E Ingails, president of the Big Four and of the central Union Depot Com the Times Star called.

"Mr. I galls," said the writer, "s a member of the Board of Directors of the Kentucky Central, what is y ur ives about the Chesspeske and Ohio and Kentucky Central crossing the Ohio river and establishing its terminar in the Castal Union. Mrs. Logan Anderson.
Mr. Monroe Avent, from Hickory Valley, was in own a few days since.
Mrssrs. Fuch, Waster Smith, Will Stinson and Will webb were in towa a day or o sgo, f om Grand Juncticn Mis: Katie Moore of Bolivar spent a ishing its terminus in the Central Union Dept in this city?"

"That is only a question of time," replied Mr. Logalls "It is an assured thing that the Huntingtons will soon commune building a bridge over the Obio, and then have an entrance in the Union Depot" "That would naturally give you better trade to Chicago," ventured to remark the

writer.

"Not very much better, sithough it would be of great advantage to the passenger. You see we now get the trade to Chirago from the Chesspeake and Ohio people, but, naturally, when the passenger knows that he has not to change depots, but can make immediate and direct connection, it is a great inducement and connection, it is a great inducement, and, of course, this will also give the Big Four "Is the Big Four interested in construct the bridge across the Ohio? "No, just the Chesspeake and Ohio peo-le. The Big Four will only have their

NASHVILLE, TENN., December 30 .- A telgraphic message has just been received rom Lebanon, Tenn, saying that a disastrous fire has broken out in the center of the town, and asking for sid from this cty. Engines have been forwarded by special train. There is no telegraph Star, 29th. pecial train. There is no telegraph office at Lebanon, and telephon connection cannot now be had, owing probably to the office being burned

here, the light of the flames can be distinctly seen. It will be impossible to get while the extent of new mileage added is less than in 1884, and very much less than in several previous years, it is by no mean insignificant. We find that the total length of main line, not including second track, siding or renewals, laid in the United States during the vear 1885 was 3113 miles. This is about 700 miles less than the new mileage of 1884, and it is less than in any year since 1878 when the total was but 2687 miles, while in 1875 the record of new construction reached only PINE BLUFF, ARK., December 30 .- The Frank Cox, an experienced ecord of new construction reached only 711 miles. The work done has been largeon branches and extensions of moderate

PROPERTY TRANSFERS. length, and has not included any very large l nes, such as in previous years have helped greatly to swell the total. In New England and the East almost no new trank has been added. The principal ac-Dawson's subdivision, south side of Adams street, 31x148} feet, for \$1500 William Chase to Franklin Brown, lot 05. Flippin subdivision, Monsarat avetivity has been in the Southern States and in the belt between the Missouri river and R. F. Smith and wife to Objon Smith the Pacific States and Territories. The long est extension of the year has been that of 00 acres in Se and Civil District, for \$400. the Fremont, Elkhern ad Missouri line of the Chicago and Northwestern system. from Valentine, Neb, west, and north niceteen miles to Buffalo Gap. Dak, "Sweet is revenge, especially to women, said the gifted but naught. Lord Byron. Surely he was in bad humor when he whence it will be pushed in the spring to the Black Hills. Another very important work has been done in California by the crote such words. But there are comleists that only women suffer, that are x ension of the California Southern road sarrying numbers of them down to early eighty-one miles, to a connection with the There is hope for those who sof-, no matter how sorely, or severely, in tinuous line under practically the same grant, from Kansas City and St. Louis to

Los Angeles and San Diego. LOCAL NOTICES.

SHIRTS, all styles, usage to order. Mem-phis Steam Shirt Factory and Laundry, 224 Second street. GOLDEN CORN REMOVER cures corporated bunion BAZAR fashion sheets for December, 4 borse-car and began shooting. When the fusiliade ended the car was empty, save those two, and Smith was lying on the N. Court street. MEMPHIS STAINED GLASS WORKS, 22 Third street. Call and see. MISS CARRIE M. KEATING can be found every day at E. Witzmann & Co.'s, 223 Second street, from 4 to 5 o'clock p.m. THE finest and best selected stock

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cinths and camellias, for Christmas and New Year's, at Harry Lanham's, Fifth and Chelsea streets. Telephone 858. The Herbal Chill Cure, the best tonic and anti-periodic known. A certain and sure cure for chills. Price 31 per bottle. Send stamp for circulars. Any reference given Address John C. Rucker, Lynchberr, Va. Senator James E. Bailey took place in Greenwood Cemetery, at Clarksville, Tenn., to-day. Memorial services will be G. W. FISHER, 274 Second street, oppo site Court Square. Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, Clocks and Household Sewing Ma-chines—nice and useful gifts for Christmas. Low for each or on payments. FARMERS can produce, at a low rate of transportation, farm hands from Georgis

ex-union soldiers, who survived the explo-sion of the packet Sultana, near Memphis, and South Carolina by writing to R. A. Williams, agent of the Memphis and Lit-Tenn , April 27, 1865, met at Fortenia, O . tle Rock railroad, Atlanta, Ga. o-day and organized a permanent asso-THE most efficacious stimulants to excite lesolutions were adopted memorializing the appetite are Augostura Bitters, pre-pared by Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons. Be-Congress for relief and a committee was druggist for the genuine article. Tue poor sufferer that has been dosing himself with so-called troches and thereby upset his stomach without curing the troublesome cough, should take our advice

ADDITIONAL RIVER NEWS. PITTSBURG, December 30.-Night-Rive Macon, Miss., December 30.—Near Crawford, last Monday, a mob of citizens took Thomas Lyde and Thomas Sharp, both colored, from the jail and hanged them. They betting fire to the colored of the part of the colored of the co

dass., December 30.—The ban-by the Boston Merchants' Asnme, Edenis.

Marchal Niel Rose.
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THE RAILROADS. WITZMANN-WADE -At the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. S. L. Wade, ty the Rev. Wm. E. Bog. s, Mr. E. WITZMANS and Miss SUSTE

Wabe. No cards. Vice-President Hoxie of the Iron DIED. Mountain Looking After Terminal WALL December 29, 1885, at the residence of her son-in-law, Major John A. Cheatham, rear Memphis, 1818. M. A. Wall, aged scenty-siz years, mother of Junius and Frank Wall of Mis-Facilities for His Road.

Remains will be shipped to Holly Springs for interment this (THURSDAY) morning at 9:30 clock, via M. and C R.R. Bank Notice

ON FRIDAY, JANUARY 1st (NEW YEAR'S DAY), the undersigned Banks will not be open for the transaction of business. All paper maturing on that day must be paid on Dec. 3lst. BANK OF COMMERCE. FIRST NATIONAL BANK, MERCANTILE BANK, MERCANTILE BANK, STAVE NATIONAL MANK, UNION AND PLANTERS' BANK, MANHATTAN SAVINGS BANK AND TRUST CO.

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**Railway Building During the Pas
Year.

*Chicago, Ill., December 30.—In its issue
for to-morrow the Railway Age will sav:
"When the year 1885 opened very little
was expected of it in the way of railway
building. The record for the year, as we
now present: it, shows that this assumption was far from being correct, and that
while the extent of new mileage added is
less than in 1884, and very much less than
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**I have been to assure you that after
sing Dr. C. McLano's Celebrated Liver Pills for
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No. 5992, R.D.—In the Chancery Court of Shelby county, Tenn.—Samuel A. Bowen et al. vs. James A. Cox et al.

It appearing from bill which is sworn to in this nuse that the defendants, Martha A. Cox, Carle L. Cox and Maggie E. Cox, are residents of the State of Arkansas and Lon-residents of the state of Tennessee.

the State of Arsansas and Lon-residents of the State of Tennessee:

It is therefore ordered. That they make their appearance herein, at the court house of Shelby county, in Memphis, Tenn., on or before the first Menday in February, 1886, and plead, answer or demur to complainant bill, or the same will be taken for conforced as to them and set for hearing experies and that a copy of this order be published once a week, for four successive weeks, in the Memphis Ap val. This December 39, 1885. A copy—Steet; eopy—Street:
S. I. McDOWELL, Clerk and Master.
By H. F. Walsh, Deputy Clerk and Master.
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LETTER XIII.

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SPECIFIC AND INHERITED CATARRH.

A Revelation to Some .- The Verification of Facts More than Half Suspected by Others .- "The Sins of the Fathers."-Same of the Penalities of Licenticusness.-The Punishments in Store for Unborn Generations,--- What is Scrafula ?

A description of the chronic diseases of the nasal cavities which did not include Suphilitic Ournous Catarsh would not only be incomplete, but would omit one of the most prevalent, distressing and important of these maladies. Yet, I have long hesitated to place a delineation of this terrible form of so-called catarrh before the public eye.

I did not fear the animadversion of some over-captious critic, the carping of some sham moralist who can find pruriency in holy writ, nor the sneers of those who have not the moral courage to declare in an open and public manner a momentous truth, when such a declaration will bring upon them as much contumely as commendation. I had no reason to hesitate to confirm the suspicions or corroborate the convictions of those erstwhile erring misfortunates, who had too much reason to suspect or know the cau, es and nature of their afflictions—that they were the penalties of sins of which they may have repented, alas ! too late.

But my reluctance was for the innevent but afflicted posterity of the latter, to whom ignorance of these facts "as the opposite of bliss, who were suffering for sins they had not committed, and even knew not of

The Divine Chronteler has written . "I am a jealous God, visiting the mouties of the fathers upon the children, even unto the third and fourth generation." In the infliction of this sentence, how often and how truly lo we realize that "the strictest !sw is sometimes the severest injustice." Yet of its melancholy truthfulness ! have abundant daily evidence in my professional experience, and it is safe to say that Syphilitic Ozanous Catarrh is quite as common, if not more so, than the scrofulors form, particularly in large cities.

To some this will be an astonishing revelation, but to many only the corroboration of a fact of which they are already sensible, as most persons who have been afflicted with diseases of licentiousness have learned from their physicians, or through the investigations they have thus been led to make into the nature and consequences of their affections, that fetid catarrh and ulceration and destruction of the bones of the nose are the common ultimate consequences of the loathsome malady which physicians call Syphilis. We hear much of the "cure" of such ailments, but I tell you that true syphilis is seldom, some believe never, fully eradicated from the leamans system, but is only "scotched" by remedies applied and administered in

first stages of the disease, and remains dormant for a season, ready to break out at any time in all the virulence of ulcers of the flesh and bones and most frequently in the pese-I have known the poison of this foul malady, received in robust youth, to remain thus subdued for forty years, and then, in the decline of life and physical vigor, to suddenly spring into renewed and terrible energy, as if to make up for the long period of its enforced submission. But in those forty years a score of children and grand-children, "flesh of his flesh and

blood of his blood "-had suffered and died from various forms of diseasedebility, scrofula, marasmus, consumption, "decline," ozamous catarrh, etc., unaccountable as to cause, and previously unknown to the family. Not only do the children of a father whose blood has been poisoned by Syphilis inherit from him diseased constitutions, but the mother, also, while she carries them in her comb, receives from them through the mysterious processes of this period of her physical life, a portion of the potsen im-

planted in their blood. These are facts believed by most of the ablest pathologists of the Indeed, some of our schools teach that Scrofula is but a result, modification or phase of inherited or constitutional Syphilis.

Yet, while Scrofula in general, and a case of Ozonous Catarrh in parts ular, may be, and often is, more or less remotely the result of ancestral or parental infection of this character, it is possible, and in their treatment desirable, to draw a line of demarcation between the causes and characters of the cases of Ozana that come before me, and decide which is most scrofulous, and which is most or purely sypkilitic. ...

If it is entirely or approximately syphilitic, the treatment should be quite different from what it should be if scrofulous or remotely syphilitic A correct diagnosis, then, is of the utmost importance.

In forming such a diagnosis the social status of the patient cannot be taken as a guide. Diseases of licentiousness are not by any means confined to the class usually known to be licentious. Nor is the "scarlet woman -the cyprian of Waverly Place, the fille de joie of Morton and Dupont Streets, and the Mongolian wanton of Chinatown - their only source. While thousands of youths, particularly in this city, learn from these disso lute creatures their first lessons in sensual vice, and receive from their leprous persons the virus that is to poison the blood, and bequeath disease and death to their progeny for generations, they not infrequently suffer these consequences from persons who do not regularly pursue such a calling, the "Lizettes" and "Grisettes" of domestic and social life, whose temptations and fancied freedom from disease too often lead callow youth and incautious manhood from the paths of rectitude.

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